USDA Forest Service 20 Work Center Road Whitmire, South Carolina 29178

> Reply to: 2430 Date: 05/29/2014

## Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 07/01/2014, at 10:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Tyger Ranger District Office Union, SC for the EN C92 FT sale. This sale is located in The EN C 92 Timber Sale is located approximately five miles southwest of Whitmire, South Carolina on the Enoree Ranger District of the Sumter National Forest. Access is via SC 66, FS 366, FS 366E, and SR 276. The sale is located in Compartments 92.. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 09/30/2015.

There are 2.21 miles (3.56 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$28,751.00 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 1,037 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Southern Yellow Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	420.00	N/A	\$60.95	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$1.98
Softwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	617.00	N/A	\$5.15	\$3.00	\$0.00	\$1.98
	Total	CCF	1,037.00		<u> </u>		\$0.00	\$2,053.26

There is a \$3,000.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

Fore reviewing and/or copies of the prospectus, bid form, sale area map, sample contract, and other related documents please visit our web site: http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/scnfs/sumtertimbersales.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Tyger Ranger District Office, 3557 Whitmire HWY Union SC, 29379 The phone number to call is (803) 276-4810 or 864-427-9858.

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Enclosure